CLAIMS

What is claimed is:

1.   1.   A method for proposal reporting utilizing a supply chain graphical user interface,

2.   comprising:

3.   a)   identifying a proposal utilizing a graphical user interface;

4.   b)   indicating a plurality of components of the proposal utilizing the graphical user

5.   interface;

6.   c)   allowing the selection of the components utilizing the graphical user interface;

7.   and

8.   d)   creating a proposal utilizing the selected components.

1.   2.   The method of claim 1, wherein the proposal is generated utilizing templates.

1.   3.   The method of claim 1, wherein the graphical user interface is displayed utilizing

2.   a network browser.

1.   4.   The method of claim 1, wherein the proposal is editable.

1.   5.   The method of claim 1, wherein the proposal is read-only.

1.   6.   The method of claim 1, wherein the proposal includes a bid proposal for goods to

2.   be shipped from a supplier to an outlet.

1.   7.   A system for proposal reporting utilizing a supply chain graphical user interface,

2.   comprising:

3.   a)   logic for identifying a proposal utilizing a graphical user interface;

4.   b)   logic for indicating a plurality of components of the proposal utilizing the

5.   graphical user interface;

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6   c)   logic for allowing the selection of the components utilizing the graphical user

7   interface; and

8   d)   logic for creating a proposal utilizing the selected components.

1   8.   The system of claim 7, wherein the proposal is generated utilizing templates.

1   9.   The system of claim 7, wherein the graphical user interface is displayed utilizing a

2   network browser.

1   10.   The system of claim 7, wherein the proposal is editable.

1   11.   The system of claim 7, wherein the proposal is read-only.

1   12.   The system of claim 7, wherein the proposal includes a bid proposal for goods to

2   be shipped from a supplier to an outlet.

1   13.   A computer program product for proposal reporting utilizing a supply chain

2   graphical user interface, comprising:

3   a)   computer code for identifying a proposal utilizing a graphical user interface;

4   b)   computer code for indicating a plurality of components of the proposal utilizing

5   the graphical user interface;

6   c)   computer code for allowing the selection of the components utilizing the

7   graphical user interface; and

8   d)   computer code for creating a proposal utilizing the selected components.

1   14.   The computer program product of claim 13, wherein the proposal is generated

2   utilizing templates.

1   15.   The computer program product of claim 13, wherein the graphical user interface

2   is displayed utilizing a network browser.

1   16.   The computer program product of claim 13, wherein the proposal is editable.

1   17.   The computer program product of claim 13, wherein the proposal is read-only.

1   18.   The computer program product of claim 13, wherein the proposal includes a bid
2   proposal for goods to be shipped from a supplier to an outlet.